

General Assembly

Committee Bill No. 6092

January Session, 2009

LCO No. **3117***03117HB06092BA_*

Referred to Committee on Banks

Introduced by: (BA)

AN ACT CONCERNING OVERDRAFT FEES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Section 36a-303 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2009*):
- 3 (a) No bank, Connecticut credit union or federal credit union may
- 4 charge a fee or a penalty for an overdraft if such overdraft is due to an
- 5 error on a direct deposit tape of the Social Security Administration or
- 6 an accidental omission from such tape.
- 7 (b) No Connecticut bank may charge more than one overdraft fee or
- 8 penalty per day to a bank customer.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	October 1, 2009	36a-303

Statement of Purpose:

To limit banks to charging one overdraft fee per day, rather than charging an overdraft fee for each occurrence.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

Co-Sponsors: REP. GRAZIANI, 57th Dist.

H.B. 6092